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W.P.No. 24045 OF 1996

DATE: 24-1-2007

Between:

Andhra Pradesh Agriculture University
Teachers Association rep. By its
Secretary P.Venkateswar Rao
Khammam ... Petitioner

And

The Principal,
Agricultural College,
Aswaraopet,
Khammam Dist. ... Respondent

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O R D E R:

In this writ petition the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University Teachers Association seeks payment of Special Allowances viz., bad climate allowance, special compensatory allowance and additional house rent from 1.3.1995. In their representation dated 24.8.1995 the petitioners drew attention of the Principal of the Agricultural College to the fact that the government had extended payment of these allowances for a further period from 1.3.1995 to 29.2.1996 pending its decision on the recommendations of the committee appointed by it and that the A.P. Agricultural University had also issued proceedings extending payment of these allowances to its employees working in agency areas upto 29.2.1996. The petitioners requested the Principal to expedite drawing of arrears of these allowances to the teachers working in the college from 1.3.1995 to 31.8.1995 and to include the same in the monthly pay bill of September, 1995. No counter affidavit is filed on behalf of the respondents. It is not clear as to whether G.O.Rt.No.973 dated 16.6.1995, whereby these special allowances were extended upto 29.2.1996, has been extended thereafter or not. From the material placed on record it appears as if these special allowances were

being paid to the employees working in agency areas upto 29.2.1996. The petitioner admits that the employees were paid these allowances upto 28.2.1995. Their grievance is only for non-payment of these allowances for the period from 1.3.1995 to 29.2.1996. Since the petitioners have already submitted a representation to the respondents, ends of justice would be met if their representation is considered by the respondents in accordance with law and appropriate orders are passed thereon within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No order as to costs.

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